

SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE
U.S. Reissue Application No. 10/761,099

REMARKS

Applicants appreciate the Examiner's indication that all pending claims are considered to be allowable, in a telephone interview conducted on November 2, 2009. In the present application, Claims 1-20 were present in the original patent, and pending claims 21-81, 85-87, 92-97, and 99-128 were added during reissue. In accordance with the Examiner's request that the Applicants underline the complete text of each claim added to the reissue application, Applicants provide the present supplemental response.

As the Examiner requested, in each of the newly-added claims which has been previously amended during prosecution of the reissue application, Applicants have deleted subject matter which was bracketed in the amended claim, and have retained subject matter which was underlined in the amended claim. No amendment has been made to any pending claim in the present response.

Applicants also submit herewith a supplemental reissue declaration in compliance with 37 CFR §1.175 executed by the Applicants.

It is respectfully submitted that with the present Supplemental Response and the supplemental reissue declaration, the present application is in condition for allowance.

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